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Received Letters. Without Enclosures Madura Collectors' Office.

Date	Number	From whom received	Substance
21/	"	Lr to the Board of Revenue	Calling his attention to the Board's letter of the 26th July last requiring his opinion regarding the Ryotwar Settlement which he may consider best adapted to his District
21/2	"	Do Do	Desiring further information regarding the family of the Zemindar of Ramnad lately deceased
2/3	"	Do Do	Directing to ascertain whether the Zemindar of Polliappanaickan whose minority has expired, will furnish security for the balance and retain his Zemindary [illegible] or relinquish it and receive the malikanah allowance of 10 p.c. [This paper is not in the [illegible]]

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Received Letters. Madura Collector's Office.

Date.	Number.	From whom received.	Substance.
16/3	"	Secy to the Board of Revenue	Directing him to forward the Cardamoms, the produce of the Dindigul Hills for fasli 1229 to the Presidency and informing him how they will be disposed of
Do	"	Do Do	Informing him that Govt have authorised him to draw a Commission of 1½ p.c on the net collections of Minor Estates under his management after deducting all charges except the Company's Kists and Rusoms with the provision that there shall always be a Surplus collection after that has been discharged.
27/3	"	Do Do	Desiring a list of Minor Estates under his charge, furnishing instructions for his future guidance

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			regarding applications to take charge of minor Estates.
1/5	6	Secy to the Board of Revenue	Directing that when the Estates of the disqualified proprietors may come under their management and likely to remain so for a number of years, they will endeavour to introduce in all practicable cases the Ryotwari mode of assessment and Collection of the Revenues.
1/6	"	do do	Informing that Govt have resolved that from the Commencement of the ensuing fusli the Motarpha Shall be included among the other branches of Extra Revenue on which Collectors and their Head Assistants are allowed

Date.	Number.	From whom received.	Substance.
			to draw a commission of [illegible]
21/7	"	Secy. to the Board of Revenue	Desiring him to submit a Statement of all the Zemindaries in his District which have been assumed or surrendered. [This paper is not in the file]

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Revenue Department

To The Collector in

Madura & Dindigul

Sir,

I am directed by the President and Members of the Board of Revenue to call your attention, in a special manner, to the letter addressed to you under date the 25th July last - and to request that you will give the important subject of that communication your best consideration; - and report at your very earliest convenience, which of the various Ryotwar settlements you may consider

best

best adapted to the district under your charge - with the grounds of the opinion which you may submit on this subject.

I am

Sir,

Your Most Obed.t Servant

A D Campbell

Secretary

Fort St. George
27th January 1820
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Revenue Department

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To the Collector of Madura &
Dindigul

Sir

I am directed by the
Board of Revenue to acknowledge the
receipt of your letter of the 11th instant
reporting the death of Mootoo Vijya
Ragoonauda Saithoopudy Zemindar
of Ramnad, and to request that
you will procure more explicit &
information with regard to the children
of the deceased Zemindar also whether
he has left any Will, and also the
next

next legal heir. You are
furnish this informati
earliest convenience.–

Sam

Sir

Your most Ob

Fort St. George
21st February 1820
Despd. 28. Do. do.

Comp. C.
W. G.

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To the Collector in Dindigul and Madura.

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 8th Instant, and to desire that you will forward the cardamoms the produce of the Dindigul Hills for Fusly 1229 to Madras by the first favorable opportunity, to the care of the Import Warehouse keeper, who will be requested to receive charge of them. On their arrival, it is the intention of the Board to invite sealed proposals for the purchase of

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the whole quantity as they have understood

that this mode of disposing of them is

likely to prove the most advantageous

I am

Sir

Fort St. George
16th March 1820
Despd. 21 & Dc.

Your most Obedient Servant

W. Strahan
Actg Secy

J. Clark
Secretary

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To the Collector in Madura &
Dindigul

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that the Governor in Council has authorized the Court of Wards to grant to Collectors intrusted by them in that capacity with the management of estates belonging to persons disqualified from acting in their own behalf, a Commission of one and a half per Cent on the net Collections after deducting all charges except the Company's Peish, provided that in each case there be

a surplus after the Company's Kist also have been discharged and provided moreover that the Court of Wards have entire reason to be satisfied with the conduct of the Collector in manag-ing the estate. this allowance is to be considered as taking effect from the commencement of the current fusly.

Fort St. George
16th. March 1820
Despr. 21st. Do.

I am
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant

W. C. Harris
Secretary

Comp. Wh.

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To the Collector in Madura &
Dindigul

Sir,

Para 1. — I am directed by the Court of Wards to request that you will furnish them, at your earliest convenience with a list of the estates of Minors under your charge shewing the time at which the Minors will severally become entitled to possession of their lands by attaining Majority —

2. It is the desire of the Court that all applications which you may submit henceforth for authority to take charge of minor estates

estate may contain a statement of the Minors age; and of the date on which he will come to be of age. —

Fort St. George
27th March 1820.
Disps: Departmt.

Compd. Ms.

I am
Sir,
Your most Obedt. Servt.
H. Chamier
Dy. Secy.

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To the Collector in Madura &
Dindigul

Sir,

Para 1 In pursuance of the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors for the general introduction of the Ryotwar system, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to desire that hereafter in cases where the Estates of disqualified proprietors may come under the charge of the Court of Wards, or where such Estates now under charge of the Court, will, from the time which must elapse before the expiration of the minority of the Proprietors, remain for several years under the management of the Collector, the Ryotwar mode of assessing and collecting the Revenues may be in all practicable cases introduced, and the system of renting out the lands for terms of years be discontinued. —

2. These orders do not apply to

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those estates where leases have already been formed and the terms of which must expire before the system above alluded to can be introduced.—

I am
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant
A. [illegible]
Dy. Secretary—

Fort St. George
1st May 1820.
desp^d &c.—

[illegible] Woodhouse
[illegible]

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To the Collector in Dindigul and Madura

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acquaint you that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased at their recommendation to resolve that from the commencement of the ensuing Fusly the Moturpha shall be included among the other branches of Extra Revenue in which the Collectors and their Head Assistants are allowed to draw a Commission of one and a half per Cent.

Fort St. George
1st. June 1820
Exd. 14 Do.

I am
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
H. Harris
Dy. Secretary

Comd.
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